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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **TOP ELECTRODE IN A STRONGLY OXIDIZING ENVIRONMENT**

Enclosed are:


- (X) Four (4) sheets of drawings.
- (X) Recordation form cover sheet with 3-page assignment.
- (X) This application is a divisional of prior application 09/652,863, filed August 31, 2000.
- (X) A copy of Declaration from prior application is enclosed.
- (X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
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- (X) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 listing two (2) references.

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